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In re Patent Application of:)
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METHOD FOR DIGITAL BROADCASTING

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

In order to maintain co-pendency of the parent application so that a divisional application may be filed, a three-month extension of time is hereby requested and the requisite fee submitted herewith

Further, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-4525.

If any issues remain that may be resolved by a telephone or facsimile communication with the Applicant's representative, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned

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